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For: INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF  
TRANSMITTING AND/OR RECEIVING BROADCAST SIGNAL

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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**BOX Non-Fee Amendment**  
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SIR:

Responsive to the Office Action (Paper No. 9) dated November 19, 2002,

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please replace Claims 1, 8, 12, 15, 18-22, 30, 35, 38, 39, 41, 42 and 48 with the following:

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1. (Amended) An information processing apparatus comprising:
    - a) encoding means for error detection or correction encoding information to be distributed in a description format used in a multimedia network,  
said encoding means error detection or correction encoding at least a portion in a header in the information to be distributed with higher redundancy than an entity in the information to be distributed, wherein the information to be distributed is information of a Markup language format; and